

CITY OF FULSHEAR

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FULSHEAR CITY COUNCIL MINUTES AUGUST 16, 2011

I. CALL TO ORDER

A special Meeting of the Fulshear City Council was called to order by Mayor Thomas C. Kuykendall, Jr. at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, August 16, 2011 at Fulshear City Hall, 30603 FM 1093 Road, Fulshear, Texas 77441 and all citizens were welcomed.

II. QUORUM

A quorum was present.

COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT:

Thomas C. Kuykendall, Jr., Mayor J. B. Collins, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tem Laverne Patterson Stephen Gill

COUNCIL MEMBERS ABSENT:

Larry Beustring Jeff Roberts

STAFF PRESENT:

D. Gordon Offord, City Secretary C. J. Snipes, City Administrator Kristina Brashear, Finance Director

III. WORKSHOP

A. <u>DISCUSSION and CONSIDERATION of 2011-2012 GENERAL and ENTERPRISE FUND BUDGETS</u>

Kristina Brashear, Finance Director, passed out copies of the proposed budget to the Council. Council discussed the budget for approximately two hours. The key points of the meeting are:

- -review the budget every quarter
- -take a look at merit increases for staff
- -maintaining the tax rate at \$0.205921
- -discuss the city's infrastructure needs
- -separated funds of the municipal court from building and permits collection
- -identify police department needs
- -a new patrol car is need for the police department
- -a part time and/or fulltime clerk requested for the permits and building department (also can be shared by city administrator's office)
- Summer help (Nikki no longer available) add in 20 hours per week for summer help
- -increase the Mayor's stipend from \$200 per month to \$800 per month
- -look at codification regarding city ordinances for the website
- no salary increases for staff in the last two years/possibly looking at a 2 per cent increase

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C. J. Snipes, City Administrator will revised the City's proposed budget for 2011-2012 and send to all Council members for another review. Budget meetings will be scheduled for next month (probably will meet another 2-3 times before finalization occurs.

X. <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

A motion was made by Alderman Collins to adjourn. It was seconded by Alderman Gill. The motion was carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Aldermen Collins, Gill, and Alderwoman Patterson Nays: None	
Absent: Aldermen Beustring and Aldermen Roberts	
homas C. Kuykendall, Jr Mayor	
Attest:	
D. (Diana) Gordon Offord, City Secretary	